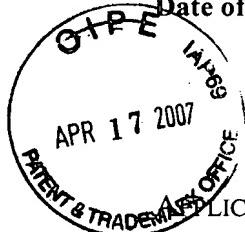


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Ake R. LINDAHL, et al. CONFIRMATION NO. 2132
SERIAL NO.: 09/700,177 EXAMINER: Blessing M. Fubara
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Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a five-month extension of time to respond to the Restriction Requirement dated October 17, 2006 in the above-identified application. With the extension, the Restriction Requirement is due on or before April 17, 2007. A check in the amount of \$2160.00 in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) (3), is enclosed herewith.

No additional fees are believed to be due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311 (Reference No. 28069-558 NATL). A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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